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	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150 180	500	250	200	100	_____
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	_____
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	_____
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	_____
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2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims **Extra Claims** **Fee (\$)** **Fee Paid (\$)** **Multiple Dependent Claims**

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Group Art Unit: 2851

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Confirmation No.: 2813

For: LITHOGRAPHIC APPARATUS HAVING A DEBRIS-MITIGATION SYSTEM, A SOURCE FOR PRODUCING EUV RADIATION HAVING A DEBRIS MITIGATION SYSTEM AND A METHOD FOR MITIGATING DEBRIS

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